Road Commission No Sugar Daddy

Oakland Slighted In Road Funds

By JACKIE KLEIN.
"The Oakland County Road
Commission is not in a financial
position to play 'big daddy' to
all the communities in the
county, and we can't perform
miracles for half the cost," says.
Paul Van Rockel, the commission's highway engineer.
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An increasing number of complaints from county tax-payers about the inadequacy of

players about the inadequacy of roads prompted a recent study which reveals that the prime cause of the problem is money or its lack.

The problem stems from a formula developed in 1951 by a rural — dominated State Legislature, under which Oakland County receives

U-M Sets Area Extension Work

VAN ROEKEL SAYS the 1970 census will probably help

OCC Grads Doing Well

A recent follow-up study of a group of 322 Oacland Community College students who transferred to four of Michigan's state universities showed that although 40 per cent of the group studied had less than a "C" average (20) upon graduation from high ischool, 71 per cent are presently passing at four-year universities. The group studied had a mean grade point average of 212 in the secondary schools, 269 at 1900. The academic performance of students who transfer to four-year colleges provides a significant clue to the diffectiveness of their comminative college instructional program.

ties.

The successful performance at four-year institutions of 70



MOST OF THE coarses start the week of Sept. 21 and will meet for 150-minute sessions. Registration may be made in the classroom preceding the opening session. Fees of 35 per credit hour, or \$50 for each of the two-hour courses, must be paid by personal check or money order payable to the University of Michigan. The schedule of courses and locations is as follows:

BERKLEY: Berkley Sen-ior High School. 2325 Catalpa— "Attitudes and Social Behav-ior" (Psych. 455-486), Monday,

"Mighed and Social Behavior (1994) and Social Behavior (1994). As-848), Monday, p.m. BIRMINGHAM. Derby Junion, High School. 1300 Derby Road. Trop-"Infroduction to Educational Measurement." (Ed. 206-C557). Tuesday, 7 p.m.: "History of the Novel 1: The Novel to 1809: (Eggl. 361-431). Thursday, 4: 30 p.m.: "Psychology of 4: 30 p.m.: Psychology of

Marygrove Offering Landscape

A course in landscape design will be offered as part of a se-ries of non-credit courses for adults starting at Marygrove Gollege the week of September 16

Taught by Jack Schwartz the holds bachelor and master of science degrees in horticul-ter from Michigan State Unirsity, the course will include use plants, lawns, trees, and rdens and how to nurture through fertilizers, pesti-

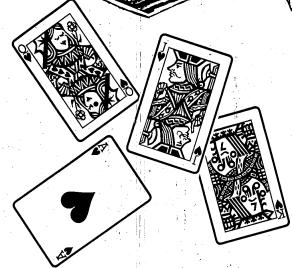
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1 Other courses include "How io Conduct a Meeting," "Box io Rnglish", "French Reading and Conversation," Man and is Environment," Reading Improvement," and "Evolutionary Philosophy and Its office to n Contemporary Theology".

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All courses will meet Mon-day or Wednesday evenings at p.m. Fee is \$20 per course.

American consumers spent ub.5 per cent of their disposa-de income for food in 1969, compared with 20 per cent in 059, according to New Holland Division of Sperry Rand.

University of. Michigan graduate courses in education. English literature, psychology, social work and speech will open this month in Oakland County communities of Berkeley. Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, Pontiac, and Southfield. The U-M Extension Service said that all coirses carry residence credit for students and months of the county of the course of the county of the county



Beginners Classes every Wednesday beginning 10:00 A.M. to .11:30 A.M. Northland Auditorium, registration fee. \$100

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by. W. EDGAR

Now that the tomatoes have ripened, the golden yellow corn has matured and the cucumbers and cabbage have grown their fullest, we come to what The Stroller fondly recalls as "Puttin Up Time."

The younger generation that has become accustomed to purchasing all sorts of vegetables and tasty bits from the shelves of the supermarkets knows very little about "Puttin "Up Time," but it once was the favorite season of the year.

Back in the days of his youth, The Stroller well recalls that if there was thought of violence among the people our parents saw to it that we eased our anger and protests by engaging in such things as chopping cabbage and "stomping" sauerkraut.

NEVER DOES this season of the year come

that The Stroller was ready for the eventful "first

It so happened it was at "puttin up time" and when The Stroller left for work that morning his mother was well into the task of boiling tomatoes to

mother was well thin the task of boling make ketchup.

But when he returned home the scene was quite different and dramatic.

THERE, on the back porch, was his mother in tears, standing at the ironing board.
"I was pressing lyour pants." she sobbed. "and I smelled something wrong. It was the ketchup boiling over and I raced in to the stove and left the hot iron on your pain leg. It burned right through — and it's the only suit you've got. What in the world will you do?"

Attempting to calm her and explaining that the "date" may not have been too important, he went on to his bath and started cleaning up for supper.

Suddenly, he heard a bit of laughter.
"What happened?" he called down stairs.
And Mother answered —

And Mother answered —
"Everything's going to be all right for tonight. I got your pants fixed!"
Without waiting for The Stroller to ask what she had done, Mother called up the stairs —
"I took a piece out of your vest and sewed it into your pants leg! You weren't wearing the vest anyway, and it won't look too bed."
It didn't either. So off The Stroller went on his first teleprend with the property of the proper

Nature Walks Planned In October

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The park naturalists at Kensington Metropolitan Flark near Millord and Store Creek Metropolitan Park near Millord and Store Creek Metropolitan Park near Millord and Store Metropolitan Park near Millord and Millord and Millord and Millord and Millord and Millord Millord



JOHN V. V. BRYAN, 41. has been elected vice presi-dent of corporate developdent of corporate develop-ment for the Bendix Corp. He had been vice president of international planning for Bendix International, Rryan has a bachelor of science degree from Yale University and a master of, science degree from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

Holland Show Is Announced

The Hollandia Society of Detroit is organizing a Holland Show for Oct. 6, 8 p.m. in the Oak Park High School audito-

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memories, and Master of Ceremonies Jan Blazer are/on, her